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 For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY AND METHOD )  
 OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME )  
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Dear Sir:

This IDS is submitted under 37 C.F.R. 1.97(d), after the mail date of either a Final Office Action or a Notice of Allowance (whichever occurs first), with both:

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